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Sir:

COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 19, 2006 OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Communication is submitted in response to the September 19, 2006 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to September 19, 2006 Office Action was due October 19, 2006. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond. The fee for a two-month extension of time for a small entity is TWO-HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$225.00) and a check including this amount is enclosed. With a two-month extension of time a response is now due December 19, 2006. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

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